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SUBJECT: FMS CREDITS - BOLIVIA

1. DURING A CONVERSATION WITH ARA/AND ON MARCH 2, AMBAS-
SADOR BOEKER REMARKED THAT THERE IS A DISTINCT POSSIBILITY
THAT THE GOB WILL NOT USE A PART, OR PERHAPS ANY, OF THE
\$14 MILLION IN FMS CREDITS EARMARKED FOR BOLIVIA FOR FY 78.
DEPARTMENT NOTES THAT DURING THE LAST MONTH OF FY 77 THE
GOB DECIDED NOT TO MAKE USE OF FMS CREDITS FOR THAT YEAR,
SO A SIMILAR DECISION THIS YEAR WOULD NOT BE UNPRECEDENTED.

2. IN VIEW OF A CRITICAL SHORTFALL IN FMS CREDITS FOR
OTHER COUNTRIES IN LATIN AMERICA, PARTICULARLY COLOMBIA,
THE DEPARTMENT IS ANXIOUS TO KNOW SOONEST IF THE GOB WOULD
BE WILLING TO CEDE A PART OR ALL OF ITS AVAILABLE FY 78
FMS CREDITS AT THIS TIME. RELEASE OF THE CREDITS IN THE
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NEAR FUTURE WOULD ALLOW THEM TO BE REPROGRAMED TO OTHER
COUNTRIES IN THE REGION THAT HAVE ALREADY PREPARED FIRM
PURCHASE PLANS.

3. THE DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE THE POST'S ASSESSMENT OF
THE GOB'S INTENTIONS REGARDING USE OF FY 78 FMS CREDITS AND
OF WHETHER OR NOT THE GOB COULD BE PERSUADED TO RELEASE AT

LEAST A PORTION IN THE NEAR FUTURE IF IT DOES NOT PLAN TO
MAKE FULL USE OF ITS ALLOCATION. VANCE

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